2011 Joint Conference: First Announcement

8th Society for Free Radical Research-Africa (SFRR)

4th Walter Sisulu University International Research Conference

30th African Health Sciences Congress

4th International Conference of the Promotion of Traditional Medicines (PROMETRA)



16 - 20 AUGUST 2011 East London, Eastern Cape, South Africa

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

- Promote research relevant to the diseases found in and/or that are particular to Africa
- Identify and evaluate old and existing technologies for health care, sciences and biotechnology in Africa
- Scientific skills and competency transfer: sustainable infrastructure in Africa
- Strengthening the international lobbying of governments on African health issues

THEMES

- Nutrition, Functional Foods and Food Security
- Traditional Medicine in the era of Biotechnology
- Future of Biomarkers and Personalized Medicine
- Pharmacogenetics and Pharmacogenomics
- Oxidative Stress and Infections
- HIV/AIDS, Malaria and Neglected Diseases
- Biotechnology and Innovation for the development of Africa
- Empowering People: Developing Human Capacities through Education in Africa
- Africa's Economic Challenges
- Public Awareness and Public Engagement
- Intellectual Property
- Role of International Partners
- Potential of Africa's Diaspora
- Life sciences for environmental management
- Physico-chemical sciences for technology development and innovation

- Engineering applications to local imperatives
- Applied technologies in food, fashion and arts

INVITATION

Participants are welcomed from Academia, Research Organisations, Government and other Public Agencies. Life Scientists, Medical and Allied Health Science Personnel, and Professionals of related disciplines are invited to submit abstracts and are welcome to participate

VENUE and DATE

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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS AND PAPERS

Participants are invited to submit extended abstracts on any of the themes of the conference to the SFRRAfrica Secretariat. Submitted abstracts will be reviewed by members of the International Scientific Committee

MODE OF PRESENTATION

Both Oral and Poster Presentations are welcome

CONFERENCE LANGUAGE

English

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